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The Mystical Rose Madonna

Date: 1963

Technique: Oil on canvas

Dimensions: 71 x 71 cm

Signature: Signed and dated lower right: Dali / 1963

Location: Fundación María José Jove Art Collection, A Coruña



Provenance

- Vincent Price collection. De Sears & Roebuck Company, New York
- Auctioned at Christie's, May 1986
- Nahmad collection
- Helena de Saro collection

Observations

Vincent Price, curator of the art collection of Sears, Roebuck & Co. in New York, commissioned a work from Salvador Dalí for the collection. This painting was shown in a number of the firm's stores throughout the United States, but as we do not know for certain where or when these shows were held, the exhibition section is empty.

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